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FOR: WATER FEEDER CONTROLLER FOR BOILER

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the following item is made of record to assist the Patent & Trademark Office in its examination of this application. Applicants identify a Cycle Control System for Boiler and Associated Burner as a device that was on sale or in public use one year before the filing of the present invention. This device is best described in U.S. Patent No. 6,390,027 (the " '027 patent"), which has been made of record by the Examiner in a June 17, 2004 office action. In response to this office action, applicants have argued that the '027 patent itself cannot be prior art under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) against the present invention, and further that the device described by the '027 patent is not material to, nor does it anticipate, the present invention. Although the device described by the '027 patent is deemed immaterial to the present invention, applicants identify this device for the record to ensure completeness with all disclosure obligations.

The filing of this Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that no other art than that identified exists.

**PATENT NO.**  
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**INVENTOR**  
Lyons, et al.

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Respectfully submitted,

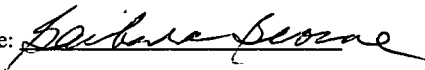


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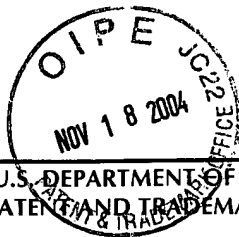
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